# FRANCE HAS NOT YET ANSWERED

Awaiting Formal Assurances From the Powers of Their Intention.

PORTS TO BE KEPT OPEN

The fact that the diplomatic representative of every nation interested directly in the Chinese question called at the State Department today could perhaps scarcely be explained entirely on the theory that this was diplomatic day, for the number of callers was unusually large even for that day. It was noticeable that the Russian ambassador, Count Cassini, and the French charge of embassy, M. Thiebaut, spent more than the usual period of time with Secretary Hay, while the Chinese minister, Mr. Wu, extended his call to include Assistant Secretary Hill, who has been giving much attention to the subject of the trade relations of the United States

#### No Designs on China.

The interest of the Chinese government in what is going on between the United States and the European powers is intense, but it is believed that Secretary Hay has relieved the main apprehension which Davis, jr. was founded upon a suspicion that our was founded upon a suspicion that our government, in the event that the European powers failed to give the formal assurance of the maintenance of the "open door" that it seeks, will, in self-defense and to insure an entrance into the interior of the country, take possession of a section of the Chinese coast before it is all taken up by other nowers.

taken up by other powers.

It is not even hinted what course our government will take should it fall to secure the assurances it asks on this point, and so confident are the officials of success that it is intimated that they have not even gone to the length of framing a poleven gone to the length of framing a pol-iey to recur to 'n the event of defeat. How-ever it is improbable that the integrity of the Chinese territory will suffer at our hands in that case, and it is believed that Chinese government has been so in-

#### No Answer From France.

No answer has yet been returned by France to our inquiry as to a formal assurance of the retention of trade privileges. But though M. Thiebaut, the charge of the French embassy, had no instructions on that point this morning, it is believed that there is reason for the department's confidence of an acquiescence in our request. It is scarcely expected that the French stip-ulation will apply to Tonquin and the sections of China that have been under French influence for a long time past, under well-established customs regulations, but sim-ply that in the event that France seeks to extend her holdings in China so as to affect any portion now open to United States trade, it shall guarantee that our trade shall not suffer by any discrimination by means of tariffs or otherwise as a result. This is held to be so reasonable a proposi-tion that it could scarcely be refused espetion that it could scarcely be refused, especially in view of the promised aquiescence of Germany and the well-known sentiments of Great Britain upon that subject.

## ADMINISTRATION INDORSED.

## Ex-Lieut. Gov. Harris on the Result in Ohlo.

L. Harris, who was elleutenant governor of Ohio from 1892 to 1896, while President McKinley was governor of the state has arrived here to attend the sessions of the industrial commission. Mr. Harris was in Ohio a couple of weeks be fore the election, and had an excellent opportunity to observe the course of events and learn the reasons that brought about blican majority of 51,000.

especially in its policy relating to the Phil-Rinley's personal popularity were the chief factors that caused a republican victory. Prevailing prosperity had a very decided effect in the election. Many democrats wanted to vote the republican ticket on the Philippine question a one. If that had had the philippine question a one in the campaign the month of the property of the property of the philippine question a one in the campaign the month of the property of the propert

The republican victory was complete, in of a magnificent organization on the hope for a better organization in 1900. It lest in face of the fact that it followed its full strength at the ballot box."

# NO TESTIMONY TAKEN.

#### Witnesses Expected by the Industrial Commission Did Not Arrive. There was no testimony taken by the in-

dustrial commission today, the two witnesses who were expected to appear not

Tomorro.s at 10 o'clock Mr. George Rice, General Castro Has Given Notice to formerly of Marietta, Ohio, will appear to give anti-Standard Oil testimony. Members of the commission who arrived

here today were Mr. Phillips, vice chairman, Representative Livingston, Mr. A. L. Harris, Mr. Farquhar, and Mr. J. L. Kennely. Mr. Ratchford is expected to be here Saturday. Mr. Conger and Mr. Smyth are expected to be present in a day or two.

# GEN. HENDERSON COMING

### Then Will Come Up the Matter of Committee Assignments.

Gen. Henderson, who has been selected by the republicans for Speaker of the next House, writes that he will leave lown for Washington about the 15th of this month. It is expected that his arrival will be the signal for a general migration of members of the House from every part of the country to Washington. The whole question of committee assignments is yet to be decided, and there is a great eagerness among members of the House to know where they are going to land in the general deal. It is said that Gen. Henderson has refrained from giving may assigned. is said that then, itenderson has retrained from giving any assurances and that he has said that he would not take up the matter of committee arrangements in a formal way for consideration until he reaches Washington. While it is obvious how many of the important places will be distributed, there is a great deal of doubt about the general question of committee assignment and an active rivalry for most

## Labor Demands in Chicago.

A Chicago dispatch says: Union labor in Chicago has determined to ask the city council to pass an ordnance denying police protection to all non-union men who continue to work on a job which has been "struck." The Federation of Labor will urge the movement, and the general report today in workingmen's circles was that the demand would be made on the aldermen next Monday night. The report eived confirmation when Presidnes E. Dailey of the Federation said: "It is true that the legislative committee of the Federation of Labor has been pre-paring a petition to the city council to regu-late the police protection accorded to nonunion men. It will be presented within a short time. Its provisions have not been definitely framed as yet."

# Movements of Naval Vessels.

The Marblehead has sailed from Acapulco for San Juan, Costa Rico. At that point she will be within cable reach of the Navy Department and ready for orders from the 'department should the revolution in Columbia require sudden movement.

The Ceasar and the Uncas have sailed from St. Thomas for San Juan, Porto Rico. The Adams has arrived at Port Townend, Washington. The Marletta has sailed from Gibraltar

for Port Said on her way to Manila.

The Yankton has arrived at Port Royal. Michigan has gone into winter quar-

## WINNIE DAVIS MONUMENT

Dedicated in Richmond Today With Impressive Ceremonies.

Memorials to Other Dead of the Family Also Unveiled - Gen. Fitzhugh Lee Present.

Special Disputch to The Evening Star. RICHMOND, Va., November 9.-The me morial exercises in connection with the unveiling of Zoinay's splendid statue to Winnie Davis in Hollywood this afternoon attracted ar immense crowd. Martial music headed the long processions, which, besides the numerous ranks of confederate camps, veterans of the Soldiers' Home and many mounted citizens, comprised a long double row of carriages containing the Davis family and connections, the Daughters of the Confederacy and the regents and vice regents of the Confederate Memorial and Literary Society. Gen. Thomas B. Brander was chief marshal, and the governor and state officials, the mayor and city council had a prominent place in the parade. A stand was erected on the Davis plot in Hollywood, and on this stood many of the noted confederate men and women

The religious ceremonies were conducted by Rev. James P. Smith, D.D., Stonewall Jackson's chaplain. Gov. Tyler introduced Mr. B. B. Mumford, orator of the day, who made a short but finished address. The unveiling comprised the life-sized status f the confederate president, also by Zoinay, erected by Mrs. Davis over her hus-band's grave, as well as the beautiful angel f Grief erected by southern women over the grave of the daughter of the confederacy, and also a monument to Jefferson

ords which held the veils to these memorials were pulled by Jefferson Hays Davis, the grandson of the confederate resident, and the statues were brought rito view at the same time. Following the unveiling an ode by Dr. H.

M. Clarkson was recited, and a short address made by W. S. Reiley, of New York.

Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, who took a prominent place in the parade, also made a brief address, in which he paid high trib-ntes to the loyalty of southern women, and was especially graceful in his references o the Daughters of the Confederacy and the results following a united country. Perhaps the most pathetically interesting feature was the appearance and words of Judge John H. Reagan, for many years the only living member of the confederate cab-inet, who in his feeble old age came from Texas to pay this tribute to his former chief and his daughter. His remarks, delivered in a feeble voice, were full of feel-

ng and loyalty. The unveiling of these monuments makes complete the memorials to the dead of the Davis family, all of whom now lie in Holly-

#### JOHN D. ALVEY MISSING. Wealthy Richmond Citizen Makes His Will and Disappears.

Special Disputch to The Evening Star. RICHMOND, Va., November 9.-John D. Alvey, head of the wealthy firm of Alvey Bros., wholesale dealers in hay and grain. is missing from his home here. He disap-

peared yesterday afternoon. For about a month he has seemed in rouble, but his family do not know its nature. He is fifty-four years old. Mr. Alvey made his will and left it with his clerk before leaving his office yesterday after-

# PAUNCEFOTE IN NEW YORK.

British Ambassador Talks of Anglo-Saxon Friendships. NEW YORK, November 9.-Lord Paunce

fote. British ambassador to the United States, arrived today on the Oceanic. He said he was glad to get back to this country. "I have lived here for ten years," he said, "and I feel that I am quite an Ameri-The ambassador was asked if he was do-

ing anything to further the good feeling between this country and England.

"An indersement of the administration, I have been doing for the last ten years. I am a great believer in the most friendly relations between our Anglo-Saxon nations.

soon be relieved. General Buller is coming up to relieve General White, and this will change the situation there. There have been reverses, it is true, but these things are to be expected in a war. The aid which was given by the British ship Powerful cannot be overestimated, the guns and men which were landed having done great service in South Artice.

ice in South Africa. The action of American women in fitting out a hospital ship was a very kind act, and one which is appreciated by our govern-

Lord Pauncefote refused to answer number of questions relating to the Alas-can question and the situation in England, declaring that he would not talk politics

# WILL ATTACK PORTO CABELLO.

# Foreign Agents at Caracas.

CARACAS, Venezuela, November 9.-Gen Castro has asked F. B. Loomis, the United States minister and dean of the diplomatic corps, to inform the ministers and consuls here and elsewhere that he will attack Porto Cabello by land and sea on Friday, This is a notification to the non-combatants and foreigners to leave the town, which will be shelled from two forts, while Castro's batteries. His armed vessels will also take part in the engagement. Gen. Paredes, who violated a flag of truce by arresting Gen. Bolivar, alias Ruiz, Castro's envoy, yesterday, will, it is announced, be hanged if captured.

# Clarence A. Carpenter Dead.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, November 9.-Clarence A. Carpenter, assistant chief engineer of the Lake Shore road, died early today at the Cleveland General Hospital, as the result of being struck by a fast passenger train at Saybrook on Tuesday last.

## STAMFORD, Conn., November 9 .- Mrs. Sarah H. King, aged sixty years, was murdered at her home, about nine miles from here, last night. Charles Cross, seventeen

Murder of an Aged Woman.

is under arrest on suspicion of having com-mitted the crime. Marines Reach Mare Island. VALLEJO, Cal., November 9.-The 3d Eattalion of United States marines, con-

# sisting of fifteen officers and 320 men, has

arrived at Mare Island, en route to the Philippines for shore duty at Cavite. Russo-German Understanding. PARIS, November 9.-The Berlin correspondent of the Gaulois says the interview

at Potsdam yesterday between Emperor Willam and the czar resulted in decisions of the highest importance, which will shortly have considerable consequences in modify-ing the policy of the powers.

#### The Second Day at Liverpool Races LONDON, November 9 .- At the second lay's racing of the Liverpool autumn meeting today the Liverpool nursery stakes were won by Lumley Moor. Perdicus, ridden by fod Slean, was unplaced. The betting was 7 to 1 against Predicus. Canadense, ridden by J. Reiff, won the stewards' plate

# O'More, with Loates in the saddle, finished second. The betting was 7 to 1 against

Boiler Makers on Strike, AKRON, Ohio, November 9.- Four hunired men employed at the works of the Stirling Boiler Company at Barberton have struck because three union boiler makers were discharged. The company is engaged on a large contract for Cramps to install batteries of boilers in the new Russian cruisers new being built at Philadelphia. sailed from St. Kitts for Guadeloupe.

# THE "OPEN DOOR" TO CHINA.

France the Only Power Likely to Ob-

Throughout diplomatic circles the keen est interest is manifested in the American attitude toward China, and particularly in the replies which are likely to be elicited from the American inquiry abroad. The view prevails that, while there will be no difficulty in securing general assurances of a favorable character, it is not so certain that a definite statement in writing or

other tangible form will be given.

Those best acquainted with the subject said that Great Britain, Germany and Russia will coincide with the American view, and that if any objection comes it is likely to arise in France, as the French policy in Madagascar and Coehin China is to give preferential rates to French goods and dis-eriminations against foreign goods. From this it is implied that France would not give a definite assurance that American commerce will be on equal terms in China where French spheres of influence prevail. The Chinese minister in Washington, Mr. Wu Ting-Fang, is keeping a watchful eye on the recent developments relating to China. Within the last few days he conferred with Secretary Hay with a view to learning to what extent the United States had acted. The Secretary of State is un-derstood to have said that our ambassadors and ministers abroad had been asked to secur definite assurances that there should be no interruption to the access of Ameri-can trade and commerce to the interior of

China through the treaty ports. Such assurances had been given from time to time in somewhat informal man-ner, as parts of the manifestos by which foreign powers assumed control of ports on the China coast, but the purpose of this request was to have the assurances take definite, tangible, written form, so as to leave no room for doubt that the future commerce of the United States in the orient would meet no unforeseen barriers. The recent move of the United States was not recent move of the United States was not of any understanding or agree ment with the Chinese minister, and, so far as is known here, the Chinese authorities were not consulted. Whether it would be regarded favorably by China depends, in the judgment of Minister Wu, on subsequent developments. quent developments.

## TAKEN TO ARLINGTON.

The Remains of Lieut. Krayenbuhl Brought From the Philippines. Arrangements have been made at the

War Department for the interment at the Arlington cemetery with military honors of the remains of Capt. Bogardus Eldridge, 14th Infantry, and First Lieut, M. C. Krayenbuhl, 3d Artillery, two gallant officers who lost their lives on the fighting line in the Philippines.

The remains of Lieut, Krayenbuhl arrived here this afternoon from San Francisco and were escorted from the station to Arlington by a battery of the 7th Artillery from the Washington barracks. They were placed in a vault, and funeral services will take place tomorrow. The services will be private.

The remains of Capt. Eldridge are expected to arrive here from San Francisco

tomorrow. They will be escorted to the cemetery by a troop of cavalry from Fort The arrangements for the funeral re in the hands of Col. Dangerfield Parker, retired, of this city.
Lieut. Krayenbuhl was well known in this city. Mrs. Krayenbuhl is the daughter of Maj. Craigie of the 25th Infantry and a niece of Mr. L. S. Mortimer of this city, whose family she was visiting some months ago, when news came of the death of her husband.

## Army Orders.

Capt. A. S. Frost, 22d Infantry, has been assigned to duty in the department of the

Second Lieuts. J. H. Dent and George A Purrington, 47th Volunteer Infantry, recently appointed, have been ordered to join their regiments.

Lieut, W. F. Mohr, 39th Volunteer Infan try, has been relieved from recruiting duty and ordered to accompany the 31st Volun-teer Infantry to the Philippine Islands, where he will join his own regiment.

Second Lieuts. J. F. B. Mitchell, 12th Infantry, and James M. Love, jr., 21st Infantry, have been ordered to New York for examination for promotion.

Lieut. C. C. Todd, 20th Infantry, has been

Lieut. L. S. Edwards, recently appointed with the 8th Infantry, at Governor's Is-

Chaplain O. J. Nave has been ordered beore the army retiring board in this city. Lieut. L. A. Griffith, assistant surgeon, ecently appointed, has been assigned to the 42d Volunteer Infantry.

By direction of the President, Captain

William H. Anderson, assistant commissary of subsistence, United States volunteers, has been honorably discharged from the army.
First Lieutenants William Brown and George E. Kumpe, 45th Volunteer Infan-

try, have been ordered to San Francisco for assignment to duty. Acting Assistant Surgeon William F.

James, at San Antonio, Tex., has been ordered to duty at San Francisco.

Lieutenant Frank E. Lyman, jr., volunteer signal corps, at New York city, has been ordered to duty at the signal corps post, Fort Myer, Va.

Acting Assistant Surgeon William Property Acting Assistant Surgeon I. O. Molony. Acting Assistant Surgeon L. O. Molony, at Cincinnati, has been assigned to duty at

Capt. William B. Banister, assistant surgeon, has been ordered to the Philippines, by the first available transport from New York, for duty with the 8th Army Corps Capt. Henry Metcalfe has been detaile military professor at the Haldane Union School, Cold Spring, N. Y.
First Lieut. W. N. Meek, 31st Volunteer
Infantry, having tendered his resignation,
is honorably discharged.

Sergeant Major Lynn Edwards, 2d Artil lery, has been appointed a second Heuten-ant in the infantry branch of the army.

# Naval Signal Service Outfits.

Several interesting local topics are considered in the annual report of Rear Admiral Bradford, chief of the naval bureau of equipment. It appears that all outfits for the naval signal service are manufactured at the Washington navy yard. The output for the past year was as follows: Eighteen thousand red stars, 18,000 green stars, 2,500 rockets, 1,300 blue lights, fifty stars, 2.500 rockets, 1,500 blue lights, incy sets army signal kits, 400 signal pistols, 250 belts and 250 holsters. The total ex-penditures at the yard on this account during the year were \$25,426. At present steaming coal for ships at this yard is stowed in the open, and Admiral Bradford says that a coal storage house is very

# Treasury Department Details.

Secretary Gage has issued the following notice in regard to details of employes: "Your attention is called to department circular No. 109, dated July 2, 1896, forbidding verbal details of employes of this department from one bureau or office to

another. "It having come to the knowledge of this office that the provisions of the circular referred to have not been observed by some heads of bureaus and others, notice is hereby given that the circular is still in force and must be observed.

"The act of Congress approved June 30. 1897, expressly forbids the details of employes except upon the written order of the ead of the department, and, therefore no details will be allowed, and none must be made, except upon said written order. Heads of bureaus desiring details in the interest of the public service must written application therefor to the Secretary of the Treasury.

## Beath of Maj. McGrath. Adjutant General Corbin received a cable

message from General Otis yesterday saving that Maj. Hugh J. McGrath, captain, 4th Cavalry, dled at Manila Tuesday from wounds received at the battle of Noveleta a few weeks ago. Maj. McGrath was appointed to the Military Academy from Wisconsin, and served with the 4th Cavalry since June, 1880, up to the outbreak of the Spanish war, when he was appointed a major and engineer officer of volunteers. He was a brave and capable officer, and his death is generally regretted at the War Department.

#### Naval Movements. The Resolute has arrived at Santiago the Monocacy at Wuhu and the Essex at Leghorn. The Eagle has sailed from Port Royal for Nuevitas. The Lancaster has

RULING IN BANKRUPTCY CASE. Justice Hagner Desides Point Against

THE EVENING STAR, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1899-16 PAGES.

Centain Creditors. Justice Hagner today, in the District court, made an important ruling in construing the bankruptey act. Jacob Epstein and a number of Baltimore merchants, October 30 last, instituted proceeding to have Jacob Lesser, a merchant of this city, declared a bankmapt, alleging that he had, on the 22d of October, assigned and transferred his stock in trace to Samuel W. Augenstein, with intentito hinder, delay and defraud his creditors and that such trans-

fer was upon no consideration.

On filing the petition the court directed a warrant of serzure to issue, requiring the marshal to take possession of the transferred stock, which she marshal obeyed. Thereupon Augenstein filed a motion to cough the warrant of seizure, claiming to

quash the warrant of seizure, claiming to be a bona fide purchaser for value. Upon hearing of the motion to quash the warrant of seizure the court held that the proceedings were defective, in that the petition combined an application for adjudication in bankruptcy with the application for seizure; that the affidavit upon which the warrant had issued was insufficient to justify its issuance, and that the court of bankruptey could not direct the marshal summarily to take possession of property which had been transferred, and was in the possession of a third person claiming ad-versely to the bankrupt and his creditors prior to the institution of the proceedings in bankruptcy; that if the creditors de-sired to proceed against the property they must do so through the trustee in bankruptcy, and directed the warrant of seizure o be quashed and the marshal to deliver the stock to Augenstein.

The same creditors today presented an application for an injunction against Augen-stein to enjoid and restrain him from seil-ing or disposing of the stock pending the adjudicacion in bankruptcy. After argu-ment by counsel, the court held that the in-junction should be refused; that no injunc-tion in the matter could issue out of the tion in the matter could issue out of the court of bankruptcy, but that a separate proceeding on the equity side of the court must be instituted. Messrs. Mackall and Maedel and John Ridout app ared as at torneys for the creditors, and Mr. Leon To oriner for Augenstein.

## NO NEW CASES.

Smallpox Situation Unchanged and Patients Doing Well.

No case of smallpox was reported here oday up to a late hour this afternoon, and the four patients at the smallpox hospital are reported to be progressing well toward recovery. The persons in the detention camp who were taken there from house 941 H street two weeks ago yesterday will be released tomorrow, when the H street house will also be released from quaran-tine, provided, of course, no case of the dis-ease meantime develops therein.

## ANACOSTIA HAPPENINGS.

Annual Inspection of Logan Post-General Items.

The annual inspection of John A. Logan Post, No. 13, G. A. R., of Anacostia took place last evening in Masonic Hall, when the annual visit of the department commander and staff was also made. H. W. Eno, commander of Logan Post, presided, and Col. M. M. Lewis of Burnside Post, No. 8, was the inspecting officer, who made an address of commendation of the post's condition. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served in the banquet room.

The funeral of the late George Mayhew, who dled Monday night at his home near Centerville. Prince George's county. Md., was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Centerville Methodist Church. Mr. Mayhew died at the age of about fifty-seven years, and was well known in this section, where some of his relatives reside, among them being Mrs. Benjamin Joy, a sister, and Mr. Alexander -Mayhew, a brother, both of Appaced. ooth of Anacostia.

A hunting party left Anacostla this morn-ing for the adjacent country and probably the woods of Virginia. Those in the party the woods of Virginia. Those in the party are Messrs. Fred. A. Benson and John F. Anderson of Philadelphia, James Beall, J. F. Reagan, George Sk.dmore, Sergeant An-derson and Master Eddie Anderson.

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Lieut. L. S. Edwards, recently appointed lated by Mrs. Ouackerbush, the president of the union and news items on teen question were furnished by Mrs. E. H. Grant.

# Tuohy Will Contest.

Hearing was continued today before Justice Cole, presiding in the Orphans' Court, in the matter of the contest involving the legality of the will of the late Thomas Tuohy. The estate is valued at about \$8,000. William Tuohy and Dennis Tuohy, sons of the deceased, are the caveators. Under the terms of the alleged will the greater portion of the estate was be-queathed to Mary Trail and her children, queathed to Mary Trail and her children, the daughter and grandchildren of Thomas

Will Not Ask for Improved File Cases Mr. John R. Young, clerk of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, is to make an effort at the coming session of Congress to secure an appropriation with which to equip his office with fireproof metal file cases. Mr. Young this afternoon began the preparation of the estimates as to the cost of the proposed improvements.

James Henderson, alias James Henson, colored, indicted for assaulting Ellen Dyson by cutting her the 12th of September, 1898, was tried today in Criminal Court No. 1. A verdict of guilty was reported.

# abor Controversy Occupies Attention

The entire session of Equity Court No. 2 today was occupied with arguments in connection with the motion to dissolve the injunction issued against the general officers of the order of Knights of Labor, enjoining them from carrying into effect their resolve to revoke the charter of Dis-trict Assembly No. 66, K. of L.

# Trooper Buried at Arlington.

The remains of Frederick W. Webster of Troop H, 6th Cavalry, who died at Boise City, Idaho, were buried at Arlington cemetery Monday, Rev. Dr. Duffy of the Mount Vernon Church officiating. Webster was a Washington boy, and had been in the army only a year.

#### Appeal Cases Decided. The Court of Appeals late this afternoon

handed down opinions as follows: Dorsey agt. Manning; decree affirmed, with costs; opinion by Mr. Justice Morris. American Bonding and Trust Company agt the United States, to the use of S Dana Lincoln; judgment affirmed, with costs; oninor by Mr. Justice Morris.

#### Session of Retiring Board. The police retiring and pension board will hold a session Saturday morning. Applications for pensions filed by the widows of the late Policemen Heller and Herndon

Daughter of President Diaz Married.

will be considered.

A dispatch from the City of Mexico yes-terday says: The civil marriage of Miss Iruz Diaz, daughter of President Diaz, and Francisco Ringon Gallardo, took place this evening at the city residence of the president, only the families of the contracting parties being present. The religious ceremony will occur Friday in the private chapel of Archbishop Alarion.

Miss Diaz is the second daughter of President Diaz, and is a charming and highly educated young lady. The groom

is a nephew of Gen. Rincon Gallardo, Mexi-can minister to Russia, and one of the oldest and most aristocratic families of Mexico. Gen. Rincon Gallardo is identified with the liberal cause, and took an active part in the war against the French. Next Sunday at the Congressional Lyceum, which meets at Odd Fellows' Hall, 1606 M street northwest, at 3:30 p.m., Mr. R. W. Thompson will deliver an address in

the regular series, entitled: "Booker T Washington: The Real Man Compared With What He is Said to Be." Grant Mason of Freeman's alley was to-day convicted before Judge Scott of steal-ing two hats valued at \$9 from A. Min-ster, and was sent to jail for sixty days.

FOR ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUOR. Two Men Arraigned on Charge of

Keeping Unlicensed Bar. John C. Seiler and James Tobin were this afternoon arraigned before Judge Kimball and a jury to answer the charge of keeping an unlicensed bar. Lieut, John C. Daley of the ninth precinct testified that with Sergts. Falvey and Ellsworth and several other officers he went to Seiler's house Sunday, October 22, and succeeded in capturing a large quantity of liquor and some glasses. Seiler was taken to the station house and locked up. Later Tobia, who is alleged to have been either a partner or an employe of Seiler, was arrested and also

held in custody.

Mr. C. Maurice Smith, counsel for the defendants, asked the lieutenant if he had not held out inducements to Tobin to make a confession of the accusation against him. In reply the lieutenant said ne had not, but that while locked up Tobin told the witness if the latter would let him out he (Tobin) would make a statement that he sold the iquor for Seller and not for himself.

Mr. Smith argued that the statement of Tobin to Lieut. Daley ought not to be admitted as evidence. Before ruling on the question the court took a recess for the purpose of holding a conference with Mr. B. Duvah, counsel for the District, in reference to some matters affecting court

# CHARGED WITH REPEATING.

Four Washingtonians Placed Under Arrested in Philadelphia.

Five men, four of them claiming resilence in this city, were arrested yesterday in Philadelphia charged with repeating in the election in that city last Tuesday. They were held in \$2,500 ball each for a hearing teday, but the trial was subsequently postpened until tomorrow afternoon.

The accused gave these names and adiresses when arrested: John Francis Sheehan, 1818 E street northwest; J. R. Greene, 929 H street northwest; George Wright, alias Cortlandt, 236 North 9th street Philadelphia; D. E. Cook,

otherwise Jackson, claiming to be connected with the mailing department of the Post Office Department, and Henry Clarke, alias McCabe, said to be with the United States coast survey.

Greene had an envelope in his pocket bearing the name of Reynolds Dunkard, 231 H street morthwest.

131 H street northwest.

It is charged that the men were brought to Philadelphia in furtherance of a pian originating in Washington, and further arrests are expected. ests are expected.

### HYATTSVILLE NEWS. Discussion of Recent Election-General and Personal News.

Special Correspondence of The Evening Star. HYATTSVILLE, Md., November 9. Ever since elections have been held in Prince George's county until that just past the polls for this district have been at Bladensburg, and although the voters at Hyattsville largely outnumbered those at

Bladensburg they were compelled to go to the latter place to cast their ballots. For various reasons, but principally because of frequent fights about the voting place, the legislature at its last session, in response to a numerously signed petition of citizens, passed a law, waich was approved by Gov. Lowndes, changing the place of voting from

B adensburg to Hyattsville.

The result of Tuesday demonstrated the wisdom of the law, for there were not the slightest disorder either while the voting was in progress or after polls were closed. The official returns for the district show that 160 of those who were registered failed to put in an appearance at the polls, and of these 90 were colored. Had these lat-ter voted as they talked, it is claimed, the republicans would have carried the dis-trict by 65, but as it was the democrats were victorious by a majority of 25.

It is reported here that two prominent politicians of Hyattsville got into a row over the election at the National Hotel in

Washington yesterday, and for a time it appeared as though blood would be shed. One of the men told the other that if he dared even to wink at him he would re-duce him to mince meat, but friends interfered and separated the two. Arthur Carr has sold to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company two large lots of ground, the the company desires to secure a third lot near its present station in Hyattsville for the purpose of constructing "Y" for its own use and that of the Chesapeake Beach Railroad Company, It is understood that work on the proposed improvement would be begun at once but for the fact that there is an indisposition on the part of the owners of the third lot to part with it for the price offered.

It is expected that condemnation proceedings will have to be resorted to in order to obtain the lot.

At the present time the operations of the Chesapeake Beach road are, it is said, much hampered because of the absence of a "Y" There has been an impression that Chesapeake Beach Railroad Company would eventually erect machine shops here but it is understood they have made an arrangement with the Baltimore and Ohio people to have repairs to their equipment made at the shops of the former at Trini-dad, near Washington.

Contrary to public expectation the trus tees of the Bladensburg public school have not as yet elected a successor to Prof. W. W. Kent, who relinquished the principal-ship of the institution about ten days ago. As before stated in The Star, a meeting or the purpose was called for Tuesday last, but so much interest was felt by the members of the board in the election that there was no quorum present, and consequently no business was transacted. It is understood, however, that a new principal will be chosen, and that part of the school

which is now closed, reopened in a few There is a large number of new dwelfings under construction in Hyattsville and vicinity, and building operations are being carried on more extensively than for many carried on more extensively than for many years past. Among those just finished are; One owned by Mr. W. A. Carr, on Wine avenue; two on the property of Mr. Morrison, on Littlefield avenue, and several the property of Mrs. Elsie S. Shields of Riverdale. Besides those referred to some half a dozen nice residences have been built in East Hyattsville, while plans are being prepared for the construction of others. prepared for the construction of others Several ladies, representing each of the churches in Hyattsville, have formed themchurches in Hyattsville, have formed themselves into a band for the purpose of aiding the deserving needy poor of every denomination, and in order to provide necessary funds to meet any emergency that may arise they will give a concert at an early date in the Masonic Hall.

Orlole Lodge of Old Fellows, which has Oriole Lodge of Odd Fellows, which has for a long time held its meetings at Ma-gruder's Hall, has made arrangements to neet at Well's Hall in future. Mr. and Mrs. William J. Hickey, who were recently married in Baltimore, have

## were recently married in Baltimore, have returned to Hyattsville from their wedding trip, and will in future reside in this town Casualties in the Philippines. Gen. Otis has cabled from Manila the

following list of casualties not previously

reported: "Hospital Corps-Near Angeles, November 5, George C. Douglas, right arm, very severe. Fourth Cavalry-K, William L Butt, right ankle, moderate; John F. Jackson, chest, moderate. Thirty-sixth Infantry-At Porac, 2d, L, Wilburn Perry, right thigh, slight; E. August Schinke, abdomer slight; I, Frank J Goldsbery, killed in action; 3d, Lieut. Col. William R. Grove, right thigh, moderate. Seventeenth Infantry-5th. near Megalag, D, Roy B. Metsinger, right thigh, slight: H. Clay M. Rogers, right thigh, slight: Michael Haggerty, right fore arm, slight; K. John Hippert, left foot, slight; George E. Burdick, left leg, moderate; Oliver H. Wones, forehead, slight."

#### Depew's View of the Election. Senator Chauncey M. Depew, in an interview in New York last night regarding the results of the election, said:

"I regard this election as an indorsement of President McKinley's administration. 'It proves that the American people have absolute confidence in him. To my mind, and I am not speaking idly, it settles the question beyond doubt of the next presidency. I believe that it means that Mr. McKinley will be the nominee of the republican party, and that Mr. Bryan will again secure the democratic nomina-

Big Fire at New Carlisle, Ohio. SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, November 9 .- A fire at New Carlisle today destroyed the opera house and a business block. Communication was cut off after help had been requested. Springfield sent a tire engine to

Yet Lieutenant Donovan Did Not Have Blood Poisoning.

## The Wound Received in the Philippines Five Months Ago Reopened

and the Missile Taken Out.

The New York Tribune of today says: A case which is interesting from a surgical point of view for its eccentricity is that of Lieut. Joseph L. Donovan of the 21st Infantry, U. S. A., who was successively operated upon last Saturday for a builet wound received in the Philippines. It was on June 13, in the action at Capote river. in Gen. Lawton's southern campaign, that he received his wound. Lieut. Donovan was standing facing the enemy when he was shot in the left leg, just above the knee. He recognized at once the serious nature of the wound, but instead of crying out he sat down and made a scientific investigation of it. He came to the conclusion that the bullet was either a Reming-ton or a slug. Then he started back for the main line. The detachment he had been with had marched on, and he was alone. With a good sized bullet in his left leg, and suffering terrible pain from that member, he limped through a rice field for about half a mile, with infinite difficulty swam a river beyond, and then crawled and pulled himself across a wide meadow. His leg himself across a wide meadow. His leg had become wore than useless by this time, and he received some aid from a soldier who was suffering with a shattered arm. Although the fighting was still going on all around, the lieutenant finally managed to reach the main line. It was a bad case of broken leg. and he was sent to Manila.

where he was operated upon in the hospital by Dr. J. M. Cabell and the latter's as-sistant, Dr. Ghiseln, both of whom were army surgeons.

The surgeons made a good job of it, and the lieutenant kept his leg, although no effort could be made to dislodge the bullet. Lieut. Donovan arrived in this city from the Philippines on sick leave on September His leg did not hurt him at that time, but it was stiff and unmanageable, so he decided to have the bullet taken out. This was done last Saturday by Dr. John A. Bodine of this city, before the Polyclinic, and the remarkable discovery was then made that the bullet was of brass. It contained lead inside, but this was covered with a thick coating of brass. The bullet with a thick coating of brass. The bullet was of 44 callbre

was of .44 calibre.

The fact that a man could carry a brass bullet about in his leg for almost five months and yet not be affected with blood poisoning opened the eyes of the surgeons.

Dr. Bodine was greatly surprised when he found that the bullet was made of brass. and he expressed his wonder that Lieut Donovan had not been attacked with blood poisoning. The bullet was first located by the X ray process, and then two distinct operations were performed. The first con-sisted of the incision and the removal of the bullet, and the second included the opening of the old wound and the adjustment of the muscles and ligaments so that the leg would be free. Lieut. Donovan is now convalescing rapidly at his home, on Governor's Island, and he has already been able to get out of bed and go about on crutches for a few short periods

#### Admiral Dewey's Views. From the Lewiston (Me.) Journal.

Admiral Dewey, speaking of the report of the Philippine commission, says that he indorses every word of it. The admiral says that there has never been a moment since he captured Manila when we could have withdrawn from the Islands. He be-lieves permanent American control to be essential, and that the ranks of Aguinalde are rapidly disintegrating. He thinks th believes the war cannot be long protracted This conversation of the man who opened up the Philippines to Uncle Sam is a tre-mendous poser to the anti-imperialists, who it is clear, have prolonged the rebellion, which they seem also to have egged on Aguinaldo to start. The judgment of Admiral Dewey seems to differ sharply from that of Mr. Bryan.

# Are Qualified to Speak.

From the Indianapolis Journal. There is reason to believe that all intellipartyism, and who are disposed to be can did, will believe that Admiral Dewey, Preident Schurman, Col. Denby and Prof. Wor ester are better qualified to understand be conditions and the needs of the Philippines than are such men as Edward Atkin who feel obliged to oppose the administration. There is reason to believe that this timely report will furnish the information necessary to silence the slanders of the supporters of Aguinaldo in this country who are in close touch with his junta in Hong

# Must Make Their Choice Quickly.

From the Hartford Courant. Mr. Bryan, Mr. Schurz, Mr. Cockran, Mr. Atkinson, all the rest of them, must now make their choice quickly between attack-ing the character for truthfulness of George Dewey and standing convicted of deception before the American people. The chance is still open to them to say that they themselves were deceived; but they must say it at once or not at all, no time for snilly-shally. The pe no time for snilly-shally. The peop last have the evidence in their hands.

# Every Loyal American Will Approve.

From the Utica Press. The United States, in discharging its sponsibility and in the performance of the national duty, will bring blessings to the Filipines a fact which the better element rmipines a fact which the better element among them all recognize. There is no attempt at argument in the Philippine commission's report. It is a plain statement of incontrovertible facts, which of itself establishes the very best against ishes the very best possible argument for the administration's position. It is a com-plete and indisputable answer to the charges of Atkinson, Schurz and their ilk. It is the opinion of men who are known opinion or men who are known and re-spected. Who have made personal investi-gation, and know whereof they speak. It is at once interesting and instructive, and every American should read it, and every

## loyal American will approve it. A Populist Nightmare.

From the Kansas City Journal, The Oswego Independent has dug up an old banner which was carried in the popu-list parades in Labette county during the list parades in Labette county during the campaign of 1896, which reads as follows:
"A vote for McKinley Means More

10 cent Corn. 25 cent Wheat. 8 cent Oats. \$1.00 per ton for Hay. 5 cents per pound for Butter. 3 cents a dozen 2 cent Hogs. 1½ cents for fat Cattle. No Money to Carry on Business." 3 cents a dozen for Eggs. Grain, Provisions and Cotton Markets Furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., bankers and brokers, 1419 F st., members New York stock exchange, correspondents Messrs, La-denburg, Thalmann & Co., New York,

"McKinley's Election means:

CHICAGO, November 9.-Grain:

Wheat—Dec. Open. High.

May 72% 72%
Corn—Dec. 31% 31%
May 32% 32%
Oats—Dec. 22% 22%
May 237% 24%
CHICAGO Novo 22% 67% 68% 4 71% 72 31 31¼ % B 32% 32% 22¼ 22¼ 5 23% 23¼ 24 May ... 23% 24 23% 24 23% CHICAGO, November 9.—Provisions:
Pork—Dec. ... 0, 20 8.25 8.20 Jan. ... 9.72 9.75 9.72 Lard—Dec. ... 5.05 5.07 5.05 Jan. ... 5.25 5.27 5.20 Ribs—Dec. ... 4.92 4.95 4.92 Jan. ... 5.00 5.02 5.00 NEW YORK N. | March | S.09 | S.02 |
| NEW YORK | November 9. - Cotton: Open. High. |
| December | 7.53 | 7.59 |
| January | 7.55 | 7.65 |
| March | 7.60 | 7.67 |
| May | 7.66 | 7.72 |

# Baltimore Markets.

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Baltimore, November 9.—Flour steady, unchanged; receipts, 36,468 barrels; exports, 43,436 barrels. Wheit steady at decline: syot and the month, 684,a683; December, 698,a694; steamer No. 2 red, 647,a65; receipts, 15,581 bushels; exports, 31,360 bushels; southern by sample, 62a694; do, on grade, 65a69. Corn very dull; nixed, spot and the month, 374,a38; December, 374,a374; November or December, new or old, 364,a374; November or December, new or old, 364,a374; November or December, new or old, 364,a364; receipts, 241,742 bushels; exports, 183,771 bushels; southern white corn, 35a38, new; do, yellow, 35a, new. Oats firm; No. 2 white, 36a31; No. 2 mixed, 274,a28. Rye dull and easier; No. 2 nearby, 56; No. 2 western, 60a61. Hay firm; No. 1 timothy, 514,36a815. Grain freights very quilet; steam to Liverpool, per bushel, 34,d. November; Cork for orders, per quarter, 3s. 3d. November. Sugar strong, unchanged. Eggs firm, unchanged. Butter firm, unchanged.

# BRASS BULLET IN HIS LEG FINANCE AND TRADE

Stock Market Was Reactionary Despite Some Good Buying.

## MANHATTAN UNDER PRESSURE

Unsatisfactory Monetary Conditions Credited With the Declines

GENERAL MARKET REPORTS

## Special Disputch to The Evenlag Star

NEW YORK, November 9, 1899. Today's stock market was decidedly reactionary in spite of the fact that some of best buying recently recorded was in progress in the specialties. London bought about 15,000 shares of the various lowpriced issues, mostly the Pacific and Atcheson. A noticeable feature of the foreign demand was the willingness to buy at slightly higher prices than those prevailing in the local market. Leather common was put through its usual paces, but inside interests were not disposed to interfere with either the declines or the feeble recoverier which followed. Manhattan was under pressure, as was

noted yesterday, on account of the unfavorable showing made during its last fiscal year.

Realizing was prompted in other issues because of the official denial that the government contemplated buying bonds in der to relieve the money stringency. This project has never had anything approach ing the unanimous approval of the bankers inasmuch as an abundant money supply at this time might send cut gold to Europe. High money has its disadvantages, but money for all legitimate purposes seems to be assured even though speculation is held in check for a time. The present market has run about as far as is consistent with a depleted surplus reserve and the unload-ing of accounts today was part of a scheme How far the movement will proceed is coubtful, but there is a demand for certain low-priced shares which is not in the

least discouraged by recent selling.

Southern Pacific was traded in on a large scale, losing 1½ per cent in the process from sympathy with the general market. Considering the extent of the rise, the decline was not extensive. Union Pacific was taken in round amount. aken in round amounts during the taken in round amounts during the day solely on its earnings, conservative interests being the buyers of the common stock, in the belief that a comfortable dividend will be earned on it in the near future. There is no official promise of a dividend, of course, but the buying was said to be of a kind which anticipates such promises. Northern Pacific common was taken in round amounts also, one transaction of 5,000 shares being recorded during the morning. The market was at no time very decidedly responsive to such demands, offerings being liberal almost all day.

The Steel and Wire issues were strong

The Steel and Wire issues were strong for a time in the face of the weakness in the rallway stocks, but later the decline extended to them also. The public demand has fallen off during the week, as the result of Saturday's bank statement, and some decided improvement in the measure some decided improvement in the monetary prospect must now precede any sustained advance. This week's statement is in doubt, but if improvement should show it will come through liquidation rather than from a leturn opposed. from a return currency movement.

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. New York Stock Market.

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Haltimore & Ohio, w i 522/2
BrooklynRapid Transit. 88/2
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## Wabash, pfd 22% 22% 22% 22% Western Union Tel 88% 88% 88% 88% Washington Stock Exchange.

Sales—regular call, 12 o'clock m.—Potomac Fire Insurance, 10 at \$0, 9 at \$8. Riggs Fire Insurance, 10 at \$5, 20 at \$8. Riggs Fire Insurance, 10 at \$5 at \$6. Riggs Fire Insurance, 10 at \$5 at \$6. City and Suburban Railrond, 5 at \$64 at \$56. City and Suburban Railrond, 5 at \$64 at \$10. City and Suburban Railrond, 5 at \$64 at \$10. City and Suburban Railrond, 5 at \$64 at \$10. City and Suburban Railrond, 5 at \$64 at \$10. City and \$10. City and \$10. City at \$10. City and \$10. City at \$10

Sig bid, 9 asked. People's, 6% bid. Commercial,
 bid, 5 asked.
 Title Insurance Stocks.—Real Estate Title, 85 bid,
 100 asked. Columbia Title, 5% bid, 5% asked. District Title, 3% bid, 3% asked.
 Raffroad Stocks.—Capital Traction, 94% bid, 65 asked. City and Subarban, 36 bid. Georgetown and Tenleytown, 18 bid.
 Gas and Electric Light Stocks.—Washington Gas, 56% bid, 57 asked. Georgetown Gas, 52 bid.
 Telephone Stocks.—Chesapeake and Potomac, 73% bid, 76 asked. Pe-maylvania, 46 bid.
 Miscellaneous Stocks.—Mergenthalor Linotype, 205% bid, 200% asked. Lanston Monotype, 15 bid, 16 asked. American Graphophone, 13 bid, 13% asked.
 American Graphophone, 13 bid, 13% asked. American Graphophone preferred, 213% bid, 13% asked.
 Washington Market, 18 bid, 15 asked. Norfolk and Washington Steamboat, 120 bid.
 \*Ex dividend.

Government Bonds. 

At New York-Southwark, from werp; Mesaba, from London.; Koeningin Luise, from Bremen, etc.